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Expression of thanks to the people and Government of South Africa

The World Summit on Sustainable Development,

Having met in Johannesburg, South Africa, from 26 August to 4 September 2002, at the invitation of the Government of South Africa,

1. *Expresses its deep appreciation* to His Excellency Thabo Mbeki, President of South Africa, for his outstanding contribution, as President of the World Summit on Sustainable Development, to the successful outcome of the Summit;

2. *Expresses its profound gratitude* to the Government of South Africa for having made it possible for the Summit to be held in South Africa and for the excellent facilities, staff and services so graciously placed at its disposal;

3. *Requests* the Government of South Africa to convey to the city of Johannesburg and to the people of South Africa the gratitude of the Summit for the hospitality and warm welcome extended to the participants.

* On behalf of the States Members of the United Nations who are members of the Group of 77 and China.

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